

THE LOST SAILOR.

A TRAGEDY OF THE DOCK IN SA
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Accident to a Philadelphia Salesman—Burning
Grist Mills in Concourse—Government Super-
ior Court of Judge Durham of
Georgia County—Other Brief Notes.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 9.—[Special.]—About four weeks ago, THE CONSTITUTION's correspondent mentioned the mysterious disappearance of a young sailor, William Mitchell, from the schooner Maid of the Atlantic, loading here then for Liverpool. He had been on a spree, and returning to the ship late at night, it was feared that he had been foully dealt with or fallen overboard and drowned. Nothing, however, was heard of him. The vessel sailed on the first of March, the Captain, carrying with him the effects of Mitchell, including \$100 he had saved. Yesterday the body of a white man was found floating in the river, bound for Oglethorpe, by a fisherman and recovered. The coroner was notified and had the body brought to the city, and in what he said, and the woman, Minnie Harris, with whom Mitchell had spent the last night he was seen, identified the body as that of the poor sailor. In his pocket was found a handkerchief belonging to the woman, which he carried off. Mitchell was nineteen years old, and had been on a three year's cruise. His father and sisters live in Manchester, England.

UP AND DOWN STAIRS.

A Philadelphian Runs Through a Window and Falls on His Head.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 9.—[Special.]—W. F. Smith, a traveling salesman for the Kingsford starch company of Philadelphia, met with a fatal accident at the boardinghouse of Mrs. Ives, corner Hull and Whitaker streets, last night. His wife, who had been staying there to check him up, stairs to their room prepared to getting ready for church. Mr. Smith had reached the second flight when his foot slipped on the landing and he rolled against the window shutter opening on the yard. Unfortunately, the shutter was not fastened, and he gave way. Smith was precipitated to the yard, a distance of thirty feet, striking on his head and shoulders. His skull was fractured and right shoulder broken. Physicians were immediately summoned. He was alive to night, but his condition is considered extremely precarious. The young wife is dreading Incendiarism.

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An Interesting Atlanta Case Contained Until September.

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The case of the state vs. W. F. Speer charged with an assault with intent to rape, was tried and a verdict rendered of an assault simply. Three negroes plead guilty to felonies.

The case of Kelly, Rosier & Co. vs. Herrin & Turner et al., application for injunction, appointment of receiver, etc., was called up to day.

Messrs. Roar & Rosier, King & Spalding and Winn & Son appeared for the complainants; also Charles Peeples and W. E. Simmons representing the creditors who had been joined in the party complainants; Messrs. Gray represented S. M. Inniss & Co., Candler, Thompson & Candler appearing for the defendant. W. M. & R. J. Lowry, Colonel Vass, produced an amendment to the original bill, which the defendants were unprepared to meet; the time, wherein the cause was on, the eve of being continued when all parties agreed that the court should appoint R. J. Lowry and C. H. Brand, permanent receivers, which was done, and thus the case goes to a jury at the September term. The fight of the lawyers then will be interesting.

Judge Speer in Savannah.

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BLADENSBURG, Ga., March 9.—[Special.]—Bonnie Ruegg was on yesterday required to give bond for his appearance at court to answer the charge of arson. He is charged with burning the house of Peter Chapman, who was a witness in a great many cases in the United States court against parties charged with violating the revenue laws.

In a Row With the Girls.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 9.—[Special.]—Buster Guiney, a desperate mulatto, entered the house of Mary Delyon, and got in a row with the girls, kicked one of them in the cheek and knocked another down. George Hunter, also a negro bully, came in and joined the row. Buster got into a fist with him, and cut him badly with a knife.

A Bullet in His Breast.

COLUMBUS, Ga., March 9.—[Special.]—Charles Cole, a white man, who lives in the northern part of the city, showed up this morning with a bullet hole in his right breast. He states that an unknown man knocked at his door Sunday night about 10:30 p. m. and asked for admission. He went to the door, but not knowing the visitor, refused to admit him. The man insisted and took a pistol with him to the door. The bullet hit a revolver and fired at Cole. The ball took effect in the right breast, struck a rib and glanced around. Chief Palmer was soon on the scene, but failed to find any clue to the would-be assassin, though to-day suspicion has fallen on a man named Jones. Cole's wound is not considered dangerous.

A PRACTICAL AGE.

From the Columbus, Ga., Enquirer-Sun.

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The bar of Americans held a meeting in the interest of the candidacy of Dupont Guerry, Friday afternoon.

A vast quantity of coke is now on the yard of the Cherokee iron company, ready for use when the furnace starts up again. This coke is made at the Broken Arrow coal mines, and is said to be a very superior quality.

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CURRENT TOPICS

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GEORGIA'S ELECTRIC GIRL.

For the Cedarwood, Ga., Advertiser.

Two young girls, both small, are developing girls with strange powers similar to those of Lula Hurst. It will soon be known if the business continues to grow. They are the daughters of the show girls, and that there are phantasies in other than a religious sense. In this earnest view, they are likely to prove beneficial to the public.

The State Health Board is reliably informed that arrangements have made to erect a hotel at Andersonville, that will be a great convenience to the traveling public.

A ball will be given at Glavin's hall at Andersonville on Tuesday night, March 10.

Mr. G. B. Leykin, one of the survivors of the Sixth Georgia regiment, writes to the Leary Courier concerning a successful bird hunt in this direction should cease.

A Catte Ranch for Pike.

From the Thomasville, Ga., Times.

Two of our most enterprising and thorough young men are making preparations to begin one of the largest cattle ranches in this section of the state. Once some miles from town they own a large tract of land, and have begun the survey preparatory to fencing it in with the improved wire fence. One of these young men will visit the west soon for the purpose of getting the best men to do the work. We hope to hear of their success.

To how the large ranches are conducted and will return and begin work at once. Sheep and cows will be the only stock they will have for the time, but they propose to add other grades of stock in the course of a few years. We feel sure that they will succeed in their enterprise, and hope it will be but the beginning of a new departure for many other of our cattlemen undertaking to run the town all his own way.

A Successful Bird Hunt.

COLUMBUS, Ga., March 9.—[Special.]—A party of ten gentlemen from this city went out to the plantation of Mr. Louis Pitts this morning, and by 11:30 o'clock bagged 565 birds. This is probably the most successful bird hunt of the season.

A Warning to Mothers.

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GEORGIA IN BRIEF.

THE DAY'S DEVELOPMENTS IN THE STATE.

2 Little Child in Lowndes County Burned to Death—Attempted Suicide in Lee County—A Dwelling House Burned in Stewart County—Other Items of Public Interest.

The name of the Pike County News has been changed to the Barnesville Mail. Great improvements are promised in the future.

The High daughter of Mr. H. V. Lester, of Milledgeville, has been, perhaps fatally, burned.

The farmers of Stewart county, will meet on the first Saturday in April for organization.

One night last week the dwelling house of Mr. John C. Patterson, who lives near Providence in Stewart county, was totally destroyed by fire, together with nearly all of the furniture and wearing apparel of the entire family. The fire broke out between one and two o'clock and gained such headway before the family were aroused that it was impossible to check the flames. The house was a large frame building containing ten rooms.

The paint brush has touched up most of the houses in Homerville, much to the advantage and general happiness of things.

Care has suffered very much in Clinch county this winter. The stock men say their losses are unusually heavy.

Three or four new stores have been built in Homerville in the stead of those burned last year.

BuFont has been incorporated—or the charter renewed and improved upon—and a town government organized.

Homes Bice and his wife, of Haralson county,

have instituted a suit for damages against the Marietta and North Georgia railroad company on account of the acts of A. J. Ratterree, a convict in custody of that company, who was sent by them into Haralson county in pursuit of an escaped convict and while there shot and wounded Bice. The particulars were published at the time.

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INDICATIONS for the South Atlantic States at 1 a. m.: Fair, warmer weather, southwest winds.

LOD GRANVILLE has flatly denied the receipt of a dispatch which Prince Bismarck claims to have sent him. It would appear that the German chancellor does not feel called upon to stick so close to the truth.

GENERAL BLACK, the new commissioner of pensions, has received flattering tokens of esteem from people of all parties, and congratulated by the legislature. This is an evidence of esteem which no republican apointee was ever able to secure.

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IRON-MAKING IN THE SOUTH. The New York Commercial Bulletin is satisfied that southern iron is in the northern markets to stay. This is patent, it goes on to say, from recent sales. We give in full its statement of facts:

Quite liberal purchases of southern pig iron have been made in this and Philadelphia markets within about a week or ten days, and from all accounts this product is holding its own, if indeed not making headway, in sections where northern iron has heretofore been wholly used. Our market report says a sale of some 5,000 tons gray forge iron to a pipe manufacturer, and 1,000 tons to steel manufacturers. The bulk of Alabama product. The Baltimore and Ohio railroad company is reported to have purchased about 5,000 tons Alabama charcoal iron for the manufacture of car wheels. A New York manufacturer is reported to have purchased 2,000 tons of Tennessee and Georgia iron for manufacture of small size water pipe. Besides these transactions, smaller ones are reported of about 900 tons Virginia and 200 tons Alabama iron for general foundry use by New York and New England consumers.

These sales occurred last week and in the last days of February. Rates had been reduced to the lowest point on the Pennsylvania and connecting roads; there was dullness at the Pennsylvania furnaces—good stocks and slow sales—and yet southern iron finds a market at prices that leave a profit in the hands of the southern iron-maker.

Such facts as these really disprove the statement of Mr. Bent, an iron-maker of Youngstown, Ohio, who after an alleged investigation on the spot, put the cost of a ton of iron at Birmingham at from \$12.50 to \$13.50. The Birmingham Age says in reply: "It may be said without fear of successful contradiction, further than assertion, that iron can be and is made here for less than \$1.00. This too, includes the interest on large amounts of money invested in non-productive real estate. This is not guess work from short observation, but the careful estimate of men who know what they are talking about."

RIDDLEBEEGER'S ANTICS.

With the exception of the New York Tribune, which appears to be wholly under the malign influence of Brother Blaine, all the republican organs are inclined to lecture Riddleberger, the Virginia republican-readjuster who made a spectacle of himself the other day by objecting to the confirmation by the senate of President Cleveland's cabinet. The Tribune hails Riddleberger to his bosom as a man after its own heart, but republican editors who are not entirely blinded by partisan passion are disposed to credit the Virginia senator with making a conspicuous ass of himself.

Such criticism is reasonable enough, but did it ever occur to our esteemed republican contemporaries that the republican party itself is responsible for the political existence of such men as Riddleberger? It is well enough to say, in reply to this, that the republican party is a political organization, and that it was a part of its business to seize every advantage it could, especially in the south; but the republican party has pretended to be a highly moral affair—a sort of salvation army, with banners and shouters going about preaching reform. It has pretended, in its relations with the south, to stand as a great army of missionaries seeking to reform a horde of barbarians, and its organs have been filled with slang-wanging sermons advising the southern people to join the republican party and become civilized.

It preached well enough, but its practice was a fearful thing to contemplate. No person who lived through the reconstruction period will ever forget the horrible condition of affairs that grew out of the comparatively simple republican process of placing thieves in office and keeping them there by means

of the bayonet. It was here that the affair known as republican morality made its appearance as a painful protuberance, and it has been sticking out in a more or less rancid state ever since.

Clearly, Riddleberger is not responsible for himself. He entered politics clinging to Mahone's coat-tails. Like Mahone, he was an adventurer so far as politics were concerned, both being men without convictions and anxious only for their personal advancement and aggrandizement. The republican party, which has been too busy with other matters to study, or to care to study, the situation of affairs at the south, promptly took them up and proceeded to use them as clubs with which to break up the democratic party in Virginia. This was simply a new form of an old experiment. The republican party has induced thieves for the purpose of gaining a foothold in the south; it has provided rascality and applauded the result.

THE Savannah News is shortly to be printed on a perfecting press. We are glad to note this evidence of the prosperity of our esteemed contemporary. The Constitution long ago discovered that a perfecting press was a household necessity. We have had one in use some months.

The daily habits, the pleasures and comforts of many apparently well-do people in our large cities are determined by a few cents. This has always been true of the north, and the Mobile Register admits that it is now becoming true of the south. It will not do to despise the cent, and yet south of Virginia it has no circulation. Every day purchasers and sellers lose two or three cents in a single transaction because the amount involved is above a decimal figure. These few cents should represent the price of a loaf of bread, a cup of coffee, a street ride. How can people who do not take care of the cent take care of the dollar? Why should we not pay a high price for inferior goods? This state of affairs must continue as long as we neglect the cent. When we turn our backs on the nimble copper we are marching away from little comforts and small savings. If we would court the patriotic dollar with success it is time to begin making advances to the plebian cent.

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A plain party of young people from Mobile is spending a few days here. The party is composed of Misses Hattie Fellows and Pauline Arthur, and Masters Charles, Owen and John Arthur. They have been solicited to witness the inauguration, and are now on their way home by way of Macon and Florida.

Professor Roy West has in preparation a grand volume all the above members of his class since he began his law studies in Macon. The reunion will take place at the Atlanta, Atlanta, Georgia, on the middle of next month.

Captain Harvey's European tour is proving a gratifying success. Every room in it is filled, and the restaurant feature is largely patronized by the tourists.

Mrs. Ava Solomon, of Twiggs county, is in the city, visiting friends.

Pant Black, hardware shipping clerk at the freight depot of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad, has returned from a pleasant visit to Atlanta.

Mr. J. R. Pound, editor of the Evening News, is in Atlanta to day.

Colonel Robert Whitfield, of Millidgeville, passed through the city this morning on his way to Savannah, where he is engaged in business.

Mr. R. N. Fisher, Jr., of Eatonton, has taken the road for Glover & Nichols, druggists, Detroit.

Horatio. The Constitution will be on sale at the drug store of Soho & Co., corner Mulberry and Second streets.

J. H. Winters charged with cheating and swindling, failed to appear at the trial of his case to-day. Justice Freeman will take action as to the bond to-morrow.

Brother Edmunds' Sodalities.

From the New York Sun.

The transfer of Senator Garland to the cabinet will be a great loss to the service, but if the Philadelphia Times tells the truth about him, the change will bring particular heaviness upon the lion. George F. Edmunds, of Vermont, Garland's exile from congress leaves Edmunds the last and lone of a trio that were well matched on the legislative floor. "Thurman and Edmunds, who were then on the judiciary committee and twins in their law and their follies, found in their workman man," says the Times, "a match for their legal acumen and their quiet social desires. They took him in and the three became fast friends." Now that Mr. Edmunds is left to himself, what will become of him? Will he afford an interesting study to his brother senators?

North ship a box of senatorial "old tea" in solid, or will he pluck up heart, form a new brotherhood?

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The Cowboy on Roller Skates.

From the St. Paul Daily.

I am more used to riding on horseback, and as I strolled the layout I was wishing I had a bucking bronco, because I expected them to stiffen their knees and go to kick, but they didn't.

I walked them over to the other end of the corral, the gentle'man a little, and directly they started off at an easy canter, and were coming round back right through the herd, and there was a dide there with a stiff hat who was trying to cut out a polled Angus heifer in a blue rooster, and I fount roped both my blind legs in a rooster, and had him stretch out, ready for branding, quick as a flash I can bawl with his mouth open and his lungs stretched.

"But I got up on again, and you ought to see me now."

"Of course they'd kick when I tried to ride them, and would rear up and fall back when I tried to stop them, but I never leave it to the boy-hands of the other lot. I didn't turn around there for three or four hours and had 'em roll over and over with me, and didn't get me off."

How to Train the Stomach.

From the New York Tribune.

What we need is a course of stomach gymnastics. We should begin by requiring more work of our stomachs. It is preposterous to suppose that a little exercise three times a day is enough to keep them in a healthy condition. We should exercise our stomachs in a systematic way, beginning by eating raw oysters at intervals of every two hours, and gradually substituting for oysters food more difficult of digestion. By careful training of the sort we can easily digest oysters with perfect ease, and those of us who might wish to become stomach athletes might be trained to digest tomato cans, or even bread-and-butter mince pie. There is no reason why men, or women, in many cases, should not eat meat, fish, or fruit, or even surpass that animal in digestive facilities. If the goat can eat tomato cans and underclothing without causing him the slightest uneasiness, man ought to be able to thrive on similar fare.

GIRL AND HIS CIGAR.

From the New York Tribune.

The silent smoker code without a word, his cigar still unlit and perhaps the same he had in the morning, still between his teeth. There was an appearance of firmness about the man and about everything about him. The cigar seemed to be fast rooted in the man, the man in his saddle, the saddle to the horse, the horse to the solid earth. We have never forced the impression of power, or that there was with it an air of simple grandeur. The man was kind, which was all the more a trait as firmness without severity. Of the cigar we had never heard; but it made an impression. It was a feature. Great is mortal of grand without it.

Annual Value of Our Products.

From the Baltimore Record.

From one of the western exchanges we clip the following interesting table, showing the value annually of the principal products of the country:

Forestry.	\$70,000,000
Cotton.	14,459,000
Wheat.	47,291,000
Hay.	371,811,000
Cotton.	280,000,000
Gold and silver.	24,345,000
Cotton, anhydrite and bituminous.	74,400,000
Iron.	94,500,000
Total mineral, precious and non.	26,388,000

The Cost of Gas in New York.

It has been clearly proven that gas can be manufactured in the country for twenty-six cents per 1,000 feet. Allowing thirty cents for the city, the monopolists should grow rich on fifty cents per thousand. They should also add a few cents to the price to the public against leakage, and to listen to and redress existing grievances.

The Country Satisfied.

From the Washington Post.

The country is determined to be pleased with President Lincoln. In the opinion of the east, the south, the north and the northwest, the manual and the cabinet are alike admirable.

Concerning Girls Under Twenty.

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The men prize me, and I'm the air
And say my face is wondrous fair!

But, alack-a-day! I'm under twenty;
And though I've got a plenty
It seems a waste to give them
To the rink to skate after 5 p.m.

Now, there's a world girl, Miss—say—
She's twenty-six, I think, and she's a belle
But says she's not quite twenty-three—
How glad the environs thing will be!

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And a skater like her she'll go
And I must knit, or stitch or hem,
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How would these legislators feel,
Who are chafing at the common weal,
At the girls who are in the ball?
They seek to crush by laws like these
Against the harmless roller-skate,
Forced the voter to regulate,
And caused a law forbidding them
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THROUGH THE SOUTH.

CURRENT NEWS FROM NEIGHBORING STATES.

From the Postman to the Rio Grande and the Ohio to the Gulf—Short News Notes of Passing Interest—What is Taking Place Through the Land of Dixie, Etc.

OMERO, Ala., March 9.—[Special.]—Vince Xunally, a large burly negro, is charged with having committed a rape on a little negro girl eight years old.

Transferred to Boston.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 9.—[Special.]—Post Inspector Harsham has been transferred from the headquarters in this city to Boston. His successor has as yet not been named.

Death in Oxford, Ala.

CORONADO, Ala., March 9.—[Special.]—Died in this place, Mrs. John Whiteside, wife of one of our oldest and most prominent citizens. She was 83 years old, and had been a resident of this county over half a century. She was a member of the Episcopalian church for sixty-five years.

Bronzed Over Her Husband's Death.

SELMIA, Ala., March 9.—[Special.]—Mrs. Nancy A. Spears, a wild raving maniac, was captured by the police officers near this city yesterday, and has been lodged in the city prison. She is the widow of a dead confederate soldier, over whose memory she mourns madly. Her capture and sad condition has awakened interest and excitement in the community.

Admitted to Ball.

SELMIA, Ala., March 9.—[Special.]—Enoch Bell, who shot and killed Bob Walker, colored, in this county last fall, surrendered himself to the authorities this morning, and demanded a preliminary trial on a writ of habeas corpus, which was granted in the city court. Federal self-defense. After a preliminary trial and investigation Judge John Harsham admitted the defendant to ball on a bond of \$1,000.

North Carolina Pensions Its Soldiers.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 9.—The bill to pension soldiers who were in the service of the state during the late war has become a law. It allows each soldier \$50 per annum, provided the total amount of the annual appropriation shall not exceed \$30,000. Widows of soldiers have all the benefits of the act. The legislature adopted a concurrent resolution to adjourn sine die next Thursday. The legal limit of the session has expired. The members will serve the remaining days without pay or allowance.

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The Muscle Shoals Work.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 9.—[Special.]—Major E. King, engineer in charge of the Muscle Shoals canal and Tennessee river improvements, stated to day that the failure of congress to pass the river and harbor bill would delay the completion of the Muscle Shoals canal sixteen months. Over two million dollars had been expended on the work, and \$1,000,000 was necessary to finish it. The amount was disbursed in the river and harbor bill which failed. A force of several hundred hands will be reduced to a minimum in order to continue the uncompleted work until there is another appropriation.

The East Tennessee Rate War.

CHATTANOOGA, March 9.—[Special.]—The freight rate war between the southern lines which had been threatened for some time was aggravated this afternoon by the Western and Atlantic railroad, which runs in connection with the New York and Savannah steamship line. The fight will be made on the eastern business. The Western and Atlantic railroad cut the rate twenty-one per cent to-day, and it is said it will go lower. It is expected that the competing lines will meet the cut and a bitter war will be waged. Just what precipitated the fight is not known.

A Flame Report Caught up With.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 9.—A week ago a sensational story was given widespread circulation, that Tax Collector Alvin O. Dixon, of Blount county, Ala., while disguised with a well-to-do farmer near this town, was shot and killed by a band of desperados. Captain Gibbs will appoint Major Leaphart his chief assistant. It is believed this will be done at once.

NEGRO MORTALITY.

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 9.—[Special.]—The mortality among the population of Columbia during the week ending Saturday night, was unusually heavy to be the subject of conversation among the sick and well. Twelve persons passed away; six were white and six colored. No reason can be assigned for this heavy death-rate in a city that is certainly as healthy and of its size in the country. No epidemic exists, nor is there any disease of any particular character.

No flagrant type of disease is prevalent; nor is there any disorder of a peculiar nature about the position should by right fall to him, who, for his people's sake, sacrificed himself to duty. It is believed that he will be buried in the cemetery of his church yesterday, in a position to which he had been promoted.

The Endicott House will be sold.

SELMIA, Ala., March 9.—The weather was clear and cool and the track good.

First race, selling allowances, five furlongs, was won by Lord Clifton by a length. Eileen second, Lucy Johnson third. The start was such a bad one, horses string out with Lord Clifton, the favorite in front, that the timers did not consider it.

Second race, selling allowances, 7½ furlongs, was won by John Sullivan second, Leroy third, and 1½ lengths.

Third race, handicap, one mile, was won by Captain Warren by a length. Kansas second, Olinette third; time 1:38.

The Bicycle Record Lowered.

NEW ORLEANS, March 9.—In the quarter mile race which took place yesterday between John S. Prince, champion bicyclist, and W. K. Morgan, Prince made the quarter in thirty-nine seconds, thus lowering the record. Morgan had ten yards the start and won the race by a yard.

The Queen's Visit.

DEAUVILLE, March 9.—The announcement is made that Queen Victoria will arrive here April 1st.

ALL THROUGH DIXIE.

FINE SPECIMENS OF IRON HAVE BEEN FOUND SIX FEET NORTH OF Little Rock, Ark.

John Reddin, Andrew has been elected president of Baylor university, at Independence, Texas.

Miss Shamus has been acquitted at Decatur, Texas, of the murder of D. W. Fambrough, formerly of Atlanta, Ga.

The glass-eating negro in Texas is matched by a dog in Livingston, Ala. The dog will eat all the window glass that he can get hold of.

Miss Douglass, aged sixteen, was outraged by a negro named Charlie Currie, near Brownsville, Tenn., last week. The negro was arrested.

Dennis Tavis, now Gainesville, Texas, was gashed three times the other day by desperados who endeavored to force him the hiding place of his money.

A Memphis negro, after serving ten years in the penitentiary for murder, called at the police station as soon as he was released and demanded the gun used in committing the crime.

Rose M. Gooling, a member of the family of the man.

Marietta, Ga., March 9.—Marietta Gooling. She purchased her \$30, sold it for \$75 to the relief fund.

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Who are chafing at the common weal,
At the girls who are in the ball?
They seek to crush by laws like these
Against the harmless roller-skate,
Forced the voter to regulate,
And caused a law forbidding them
To take a drink after 5 p.m.—Boston Courier.

CAROLINA POLITICS.

A Clean Sweep in the Palmetto State Predicted.

COLUMBIA, March 9.—[Special.]—It is said by persons just from Washington City, claiming to be in possession of such information as justifies them in speaking with positiveness, that President Cleveland will, as soon as he can, turn over every federal office holder in South Carolina, and supply his place with a democrat. He will proceed on the safe presumption that to be a republican in South Carolina is to be opposed to the wealth and intelligence of the state. He does not mean to temporize with any of them. As soon as their term of service ends, off go their political heads. His plan is to send a democrat to each of the 100 counties in South Carolina, and to do this in such a manner as to make it appear that the recent election was a clean sweep.

Republicans Ashamed of Senator Riddleberger—The Cabinet Socially Considered—Some Remarks on Washington Society—What It has Suffered—From Foreign Vulgarians.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—[Special.]—A democratic senator said: "There is one good thing about the recent exhibition Riddleberger made of himself. It shows to the republican senators and the country what kind of men the republican party is. In Connecticut, in Massachusetts, in

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Gate City National Stock.
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CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, March 9, 1885.

Money continues in good supply at unchanged rates.

New York exchange buying at par to 1/2 pre-

mium; selling at 1/2 premium.

STATE BID. ASKED

Ga. & R. R. Bonds 100 105

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B. & O. 104 107

St. Louis 100 109

A. & C. 1st...109 112

A. & C. Ind. 70 70

A. & T. 180,192,118 120

Central, Southwestern & Montgomery & Eufaula Railroads

All trains of these systems are run by Central on Meridian time.

ATLANTA, GA., MARCH 1, 1885.

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, MAR. 1, 1885, PAS-

SENGER TRAINS ON THESE ROADS WILL RUN AS FOLLOWS:

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L. R. & M. MAIL LINE

Savannah and Atlanta Divisions.

Savannah, Lv.

Oliver, Ar.

Miller, Lv.

Toombsboro, Lv.

Gordon, Ar.

No. 1* Passenger.

Macon, Ar.

Barnesville, Lv.

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Graves, Ar.

Atlanta, Ar.

C. R. & AUGUSTA BRANCH.

No. 157 Acc.

No. 53* Passenger.

No. 56* Passenger.

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All observations taken at the same moment of time at each place named:

NAME OF STATION.	Barometer.	Wind.	Dew Point.	Direction.	Rain.	Weather.	BALLOON	
							Force.	Rate.
Atlanta.	30.36	40	60	SW	6	Clear.		
Augusta.	30.36	40	60	SW	6	Clear.		
Key West.	30.41	46	68	SW	7	Clear.		
Savannah.	30.37	46	68	SW	7	Clear.		
LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.								
Time of Observation.								
6:00 a.m.	30.40	26	30 N.W.	10	0.0	Clear.		
10:00 a.m.	30.45	35	19 N.W.	6	0.0	Clear.		
3:00 p.m.	30.37	47	13 W.	11	0.0	Clear.		
7:00 p.m.	30.40	35	29 N.E.	10	0.0	Clear.		
1:00 p.m.	30.35	42	10 W.	10	0.0	Clear.		
McGinnis bar.	30.375	Maximum.	43.0					
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The weather at other points at 6 a.m.: Boston, 31; clear; New York, 14; clear; Washington, 21; clear; Philadelphia, 19; clear; Baltimore, 23; clear; Montreal, 22; clear; New Orleans, 22; clear; Mobile, 26; clear; Memphis, 23; clear; Nashville, 23; fair; Cincinnati, 21; clear; Chicago, 26; fair; St. Louis, 34; clear; Omaha, 37; clear; Bismarck, 34; clear.

MEETINGS.

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G. S. Price, Secretary.

HARRY KROUSE, Commander.

Supreme Court of Georgia.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 9, 1885.

List of circuits showing the number of cases remaining undisposed of:

Middle circuit..... 8 Eastern circuit..... 3

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"But my government don't recognize you as a government."

"Very well, then, my government don't recognize you as a consul. You must shoulder your mail and join your company, and then we'll see what becomes of Colonel Cantwell."

However, the confederate consul threatened to have a gunboat come and bombard Norfolk before he would serve.

"Oh," said the colonel, "that is just what I would like to see, for then the United States will go to work to fight you, as it claims that Norfolk is a part of the union, and then between us and the United States fighting shall go free."

However, the end of it was the consul, appealed to Mr. Benjamin, confederate secretary of war, who ordered his exemption from military duty, and so the three-cornered war that Colonel Cantwell wanted to see did not arise, and consequently the C. S. A. did not get free.

The Boss Coon Hunter.

Mr. W. H. Gary, of Clinch county, is the

boss coon hunter of the land. Keeps good

dogs and delights in the sport. In one season

he killed two hundred and seventy-seven

possums and thirty-three skunks, and

he kept a count of. He had killed some before he kept a record. Of these he killed

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